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## HOLIDAY RECYCLING

- Americans throw away
   25 million tons of additional trash between Thanksgiving and New Year.
- Use reusable shopping bags and recycle the plastic bags.
- Use recycled-content paper, avoiding foil and metallic papers which are not recyclable.
- If every family would reuse just 2 feet of ribbon, the 38,000 miles of ribbon saved could tie a bow around the planet.

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## Fall Project Update

Originally scheduled for this past summer, the Street and Alley Division began the Dolphin
Drive Culvert Replacement project this past Monday. This project will replace two old
culverts that run under the roadway that have rusted out. The area will also be upgraded
with two new storm sewer inlets. The entire project is expected to be completed in about
two weeks time. Until final patching is completed, Dolphin Drive in the construction area
will remain closed.



- The Water and Sewer Division continues with hydrant flushing and maintenance as time and weather allow.
- The Water Reclamation Facility, with the help of the Street & Alley Department, hauled 250 dry tons, or 1,048.9 cubic yards of bio-solids from the HWRF to a local farmer on November 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>. That was roughly 70 tandem axle dump truck loads.
- The Street and Alley division completed the annual Oil and Chip program.
- The Troxler Avenue Rehabilitation project was bid and awarded in October. The project was completed earlier this month.
- The first order of road salt for the upcoming winter season was delivered.
- The recently completed Sportsman Road trail extension was dedicated as part of the Sursee Trail.